

Appl. No. 10/582,982
Resp. Dated May 16, 2007
Reply to Office Action of April 19, 2007

Remarks

Applicant elects Group 1, claims 47 to 50 and 71 to 77, which are drawn to arrays for detecting ABC transporter genes. In addition, the Applicant elects the following specific combination of SEQ ID NOs. for claims 49 and 73: SEQ ID NOs. 12, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 44. Further, the Applicant elects the following specific combination of primer pairs for claims 75 and 76: SEQ ID NOs.: 70 and 71, 76 and 77, 88 and 89, 90 and 91, 92 and 93, 94 and 95, 96 and 97, 98 and 99, 116 and 117, and 134 and 135. This election is without prejudice to the Applicant filing divisional applications to the Groups 2 to 5 inventions and other combinations of SEQ ID NOs.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees (including any claim fees) or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2095.

In view of the foregoing comments and amendments, we respectfully submit that the application is in order for allowance and early indication of that effect is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner deem it beneficial to discuss the application in greater detail, he is kindly requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at (416) 957-1684 at his convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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